



PATENT
Customer Number 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 5725.0634-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
)
Jean-Marc ASCIONE et al.)
)
Application No.: 09/809,009) Group Art Unit: 1751
)
Filed: March 16, 2001) Examiner: E. Elhilo
)
For: COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING AT)
)
LEAST TWO ANIONIC ASSOCIATIVE)
)
POLYMERS AND THEIR USE FOR A)
)
STABILIZATION OF AN OXIDIZING)
)
SOLUTION)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

In reply to the Office Action dated July 28, 2004, the period for response having been extended two months to December 28, 2004 by the accompanying Petition and fee, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and reexamination of this application in view of the following remarks.

Remarks

I. Status of the Claims

Claims 1-65 are pending in this application. No claims have been amended.